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Jocelyn G. Boyd, Esquire
Chief Clerk and Administrator
Public Service Commission of South Carolina
101 Executive Center Drive
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

RE: Application of Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC for Approval of Experimental Tariff Covering
Home Energy Comparison Report Pilot Program
Docket No. 2010-50-E

Dear Ms. Boyd:

This is to acknowledge that the Office of Regulatory Staff ("ORS") has reviewed the filing in the above referenced Docket and has no objection to Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC's Motion requesting an extension of the Home Energy Comparison Report Pilot Program from April 30, 2011 to April 30, 2012.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide our comments in this matter.

Sincerely,

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